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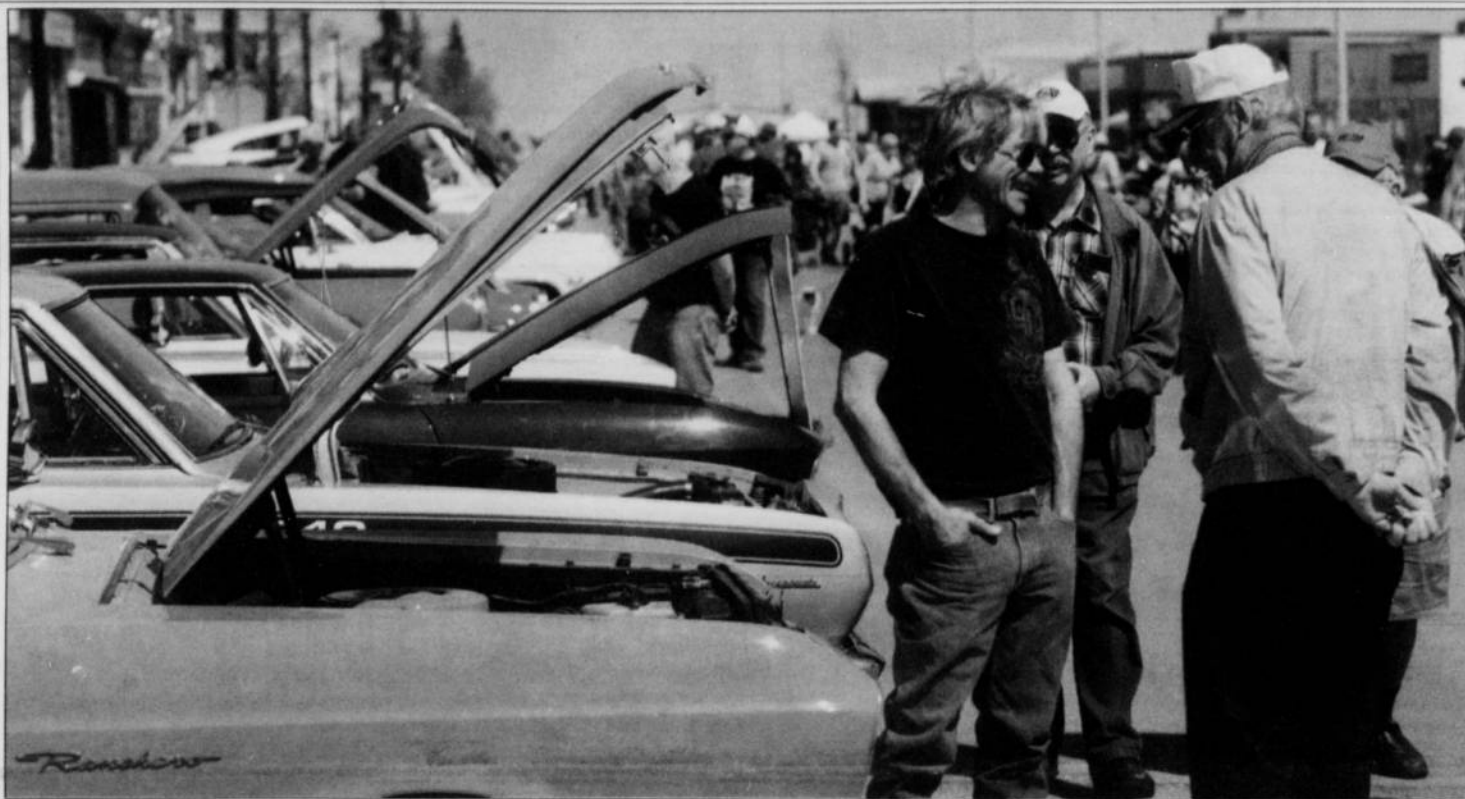
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## Calgary RCMP talk drugs, identification, and safety

BY MADISON SAMUEL-BARCLAY  
Review Staff

Calgary RCMP held an important presentation on marijuana use, its signs and symptoms, potential grow-ops and other drug safety awareness for interested residents of Didsbury and Carstairs, and Didsbury RCMP on May 9.

The presentation was given by Sgt. Donna Hanson of the Calgary RCMP in the multi-purpose room at the Didsbury Memorial Complex, where she showed clips and videos and answered audience questions.

"When you're talking about kids and their developing brains, there's no such thing as a soft drug," said Hanson when discussing marijuana, which was the main topic of the evening.

Hanson discussed the signs of marijuana usage, such as the individual in question having a

dazed appearance, red eyes, dry mouth and carrying the distinct smell of the drug, which she described as "pungent".

"One of the main arguments for marijuana is that it's organic and comes from nature," Hanson said, regarding the continuing debate of legalizing marijuana usage and its safety. "Rattlesnakes are organic but we don't pick them up and handle them, and some plants, while organic, are poisonous."

Hanson also showed clips and videos showcasing various marijuana paraphernalia and other, more discreet items for parents and guardians to keep an eye out for.

As for medical marijuana, Hanson explained that it is "not something as widely used as people think", and is not usually prescribed by doctors, but is instead often asked for by patients.

Hanson discussed identifying signs of a potential grow-op home as well. Generally, grow-op

buildings will have an "unkempt" look, usually with an unmowed lawn, weeds in the yard, and flyers building up in the mailbox.

Windows will usually be covered up as well, and there will usually be no garbage left on the curb on a regular basis.

Typically, people can be seen entering and leaving the home mainly through the garage and the garage only at odd hours. Hanson urged, though, for residents to not investigate what they may suspect to be grow-ops themselves and call the RCMP, as booby-traps are becoming more common in such places, and the danger that the grow-op may be linked to organized crime is always there.

Traps seen sometimes at grow-ops are boards with spikes driven upwards lying hidden on the property grass, loaded weapons, chemicals in light bulbs and behind doors that trigger small explosions and more.

Hanson also discussed other

drugs that are currently popular in Central Alberta, such as ketamine, cocaine, PHP (ecstasy) and three new drug trends.

Ketamine is typically an anesthetic used by veterinarians on large animals and is thought to extend the effects of other drugs when taken in conjunction with them.

Cocaine was described as the "stimulant drug of choice" for Central Alberta, while ecstasy, another stimulant, is popular at bars, clubs, raves and other parties.

Hanson also touched upon methamphetamine (crystal or liquid meth) and its dangerous effects.

Other drugs and trends on the rise in Central Alberta are salvia divinorum, which is a legal drug but under investigation, tryptamine, which is legal, and prescription drug abuse.

Salvia is a hallucinogenic that lasts about an hour and is associated with unconsciousness and

short-term memory loss, while tryptamine is an ecstasy look-alike that can cause hallucinations, euphoria, jaw clenching, unconsciousness and unresponsiveness.

Hanson presented signs for identifying drug traffickers, citing them as usually male of any age or race, carrying multiple cellphones or pagers with a secretive or distracted nature, and out at odd hours.

Traffickers typically go to public places, such as parking lots, to do their work.

As for preventing drug use with teens, Hanson said that for some, the decision has already been made.

"Sixty per cent of kids have already made up their minds and will not try drugs," said Hanson. "Ten per cent will try them no matter what, and the other 30 per cent are on the fence. Programs like DARE and other presentations are aimed at them to sway them from taking drugs."

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# Students hit Spokane for annual Bloomsday Run

BY MADISON SAMUEL-BARCLAY  
Review Staff

Four Didsbury High School students, along with two students from Cremona and chaperones travelled to Spokane, Wash., to take part in the 36th Annual Bloomsday Run.

The run, which was held on May 6, was 12 kilometres and was started as a way to get communities out and about in the spring weather, turning into a large-scale, popular run with thousands in attendance.

The students trained for four weeks prior to the run and were away in Spokane from May 4 to May 7. This was the eighth trip to the run that DHS has participated in over the course of 12 years, with over 61 students and 19 adults involved during that time.

All of the students finished the run. They were among 47,842 people participating in the event.



Students and chaperones take a seat out in Spokane, Washington.

Submitted by Mark Leggette

## Student results from the 2012 Bloomsday Run

Shallaine Daley, Carstairs, AB	1:30:30
Taylor Derksen, Didsbury, AB	1:20:06
Darren Jacobson, Didsbury, AB	0:55:45
Leanne Jacobson, Didsbury, AB	1:28:43
Tana Jermyn, Didsbury, AB	1:20:13
Sebastian Lacey, Cremona, AB	1:01:41
Emily Leggette, Didsbury, AB	1:28:42
Mark Leggette, Didsbury, AB	0:51:15
Mary Lynne Leggette, Didsbury, AB	1:35:32
Victoria Pereversoff, Cremona, AB	1:07:34
Josh Ridley, Didsbury, AB	0:56:26



Above: Students show off their Bloomsday shirts at the event on May 6.

Left: Didsbury High School's updated collection of custom Bloomsday Run shirts that they have acquired over the years.

Photos submitted by Mark Leggette



### Correction

Incorrect information was printed in the May 8 edition of the *Didsbury Review* in the story *Miki Town holds future benefits* on page 2.

The conversion of 300,000 yen is approximately \$3,000.



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**SWEET SOUNDS** - Niko Tsrias plays the saxophone on a bench off of 20 Street last Tuesday.

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# Opinion

## Editorial

### Playgrounds should be for playing

With last month's sweeping victory over the Wildrose, Liberals and NDP, the newly-minted Alison Redford government is certainly facing a big job and lots of challenges over the next four years.



DAN SINGLETON

Of course the government will have to deal with the economy, resource development, education and health demands, and a myriad of other things. Whether the Tories will succeed or fail in those important tasks remains to be seen.

Yet if they are prepared to make the effort, the Redford Tories could virtually guarantee success in one area of public health and safety –

they could make major strides in ensuring that far more Alberta children and young people live their everyday lives in tobacco-free environments.

The Edmonton municipal council has recently taken a bold step in the effort to protect young people from tobacco, passing a new bylaw that makes it unlawful for anyone to smoke in any public playground, sports field or other outdoor facility where children have access.

While smoking indoors in public places has been banned in Alberta for several years, this new move in the provincial capital is aimed specifically at young people and the places they frequent.

It is a forward-looking step that promises to keep Edmonton's young people well away from tobacco at the very places where they are, unfortunately, often tempted to take up the smoking habit.

Alberta's Action on Smoking & Health (ASH), an anti-smoking lobby group, has come out in support of the new Edmonton bylaw, calling it an important initiative.

"As a society we need to send a strong message that smoking in public is not acceptable and we need to promote non-smoking as the norm if we want to drive down youth smoking," said Les Hagen, executive director of ASH.

Alberta youth smoking rates are amongst the highest anywhere in Canada, with a recent national community health survey finding that 13 per cent of Alberta youths aged 12 to 19 are smokers.

ASH officials say more, much more, needs to be done to address those youth smoking levels. And who can disagree with that?

As they begin their work as Alberta's new government, the Redford Tories have plenty of things they will need to address over the next four years.

One thing the new government should commit itself to doing right off the bat is making sure Alberta's young people are better protected from the dangers of tobacco.

And a provincewide ban on smoking in any public playground, sports field or other outdoor facility where children have ready access would be a great way to do just that.



### Letter to the editor Miki Town concerns

Taxpayers of Didsbury,

We are still trying to get straight answers to the Miki Town twinning project with Japan. The statement by the mayor in the Review says that there is long-term economic opportunity... what is the projected financial gain?

The 300,000 yen we received for the Les Gants fashion glove project royalties since 2008 – is this the plain truth? Why was the statement not in Canadian dollars? The C\$3,000 does not even come close to offsetting the expenses.

Questions we are asking are:

We, the taxpayers of Didsbury, are requesting a full written disclosure regarding the expenses for the trips to Japan, a detailed list of how the funds were allotted in the 2012 budget, and how they were spent (food, accommodations, banquets, gifts, airlines tickets, etc.).

How many airline tickets were bought with town Visa points and what is the cash value of the points?

Were the three town employees, the CAO, the assistant CAO and the new Miki Town co-ordinator paid while they were off work (and who did their work while they were gone), or did they take vacation time?

If they were paid, what is that cost in wages to the town? What personal expenses were submitted? Were they billed?

What is the projected profit on each pair of gloves sold and what is the next three-year projected profit if

the first three years was \$3,000?

We would like to see a detailed report with the economic plan showing the costs and profits of the Miki Town project and how they justify going forward with the project.

In the May 8 Review Mayor Wittal stated, "We want to show them what is happening in Central Alberta". Central Alberta is a big place. We want to know how is Miki Town going to invest in Didsbury? How does the investment justify the expense?

These are just some of the questions that need to be answered. We recently petitioned the council to get control of its frivolous spending (signage issues) and are presently signing a petition to have our town's spending habits and procedures audited by the Government of Alberta Municipal Affairs.

We want our town's affairs to be open and honest, not statements like 300,000 yen instead of Canadian dollars put in the paper. The mayor also stated that, "There is great potential opportunity there."

I would suggest that we should develop an economic plan within our abilities and get our council's heads out of the clouds. We are a small town of 4,500 people, what are we doing in private business, retail or wholesale?

I do not believe that government should be in business or competition with private business; that makes for an uneven playing field for private businesses. Where does the line get

drawn? Does our council intend to keep spending our tax dollars on this Japan project and start other business ventures with no accountability?

I do not believe we should be in the land development business (Shantz Crossing). Let's get back to managing our town.

Maybe we should be giving tax incentives to businesses who COME to Didsbury, not the "maybes", the possibles, or the "could bes". That would be a "bird in hand, not two in the bush". The Town of Blackfalds does it.

As stated to council at a past council meeting, "If the Miki Town project is to continue and there is a public interest in the project, a private sector society should be formed. One which raises its own money to fund the trips and the exchanges" (just as our high school band and other groups do).

If you agree with some or most of this letter, please call our mayor and councillors and let them know. Come out to the council meetings. We need your support. Your presence will have a long-term benefit to our town.

Please sign the petition. Contact Rick Lavigne at 403-335-4308, or you can find him between the Credit Union and the AG Foods, or in his garage at 2220 12 Ave.

Thank you,  
"One of the very concerned taxpayers of Didsbury"

Ric Wohlgenuth

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## Get Moving Didsbury kicks off with new public walking and running groups

BY MADISON SAMUEL-BARCLAY  
Review Staff

Healthy Didsbury is pleased to present a brand new community initiative to get residents up and moving this spring and summer.

Get Moving Didsbury is a new program that offers free walking and running groups to the public on a weekly basis to encourage physical activity during the warmer months.

"All we are doing is trying to offer more opportunities for residents to get out and do something," said Didsbury Community Development Co-ordinator and Healthy Didsbury member Jolene Sanford.

The program has been launched with success in

other communities and was introduced to the Healthy Didsbury committee by a representative.

"We were very interested in trying this out," said Sanford.

Get moving Didsbury launched its first week on May 7 with volunteer-led running groups on Tuesdays at 5:30 p.m. and Thursdays at 6:30 p.m.

Participants meet at the Didsbury Memorial Complex and head to the trails behind the Didsbury veterinarian clinic.

A walking group lead by Sanford will begin after the May long weekend every Tuesday at 6 p.m. and will go for six weeks.

The programs are volunteer-led, with no fees for the public. Information packages and registration

forms are available at the Didsbury Memorial Complex.

"It's open for the public, and once they register there isn't any real commitment, so if they can't come on some nights, that's OK," said Sanford.

Sanford added that besides the healthy benefits of getting out and being active either running or walking, the programs are also a great way for residents to connect and perhaps start their own running or walking groups.

"People can get more connected to the community, you're meeting other like-minded people," said Sanford.

"There are a lot of people who want to walk but don't know who to walk with."

## Community News

### West Didsbury 4-H gears up for show season

The West Didsbury 4-H Club is busy with many events in May! Our 4-H club had its Club Female Show and Mock Steer Show on May 4th at Hadways'. We showed our female projects and practised leading our steers. Our hard work is starting to pay off. Travis Hunter won Grand Champion Female.

The District 4-H Female Show is coming up on Saturday, May 18th at the Olds Cow Palace. Several of our members will be

attending. Another exciting show West Didsbury will be participating in is the Carstairs District 4-H Steer Show and Sale which will be held on Tuesday, May 22nd at the Carstairs Arena. The show starts at 11:30 a.m. when we will have a chance to show off our steer projects. Then the 4-H members will sell their steers at 6:30 p.m. If you are interested in purchasing some quality 4-H beef please contact Tom and Carol Hadway at (403)

335-4929. Come out and support the young 4-H members of the West Didsbury 4-H Club. You will find Alberta beef at its very best!

To wrap things up our club will also be attending the Regional 4-H on Parade Show at the Calgary Stampede Grounds from May 31-June 3.

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Submitted by Tay Miller, West Didsbury 4-H



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COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE MEETING: Tuesday, June 12 at 7:00 p.m.

MUNICIPAL PLANNING COMMISSION: Wednesday, June 13 at 4:30 p.m..

LIFELINE SOCIETY MEETING: Monday June 11 at 10:00 am

Unless otherwise noted, all meetings are held in Council Chambers at the Town Office.

### MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

#### Spring Clean-Up Week May 22 to May 26, 2012

Residents are encouraged to clean up their properties and take advantage of the "Landfill Days" beginning Tuesday, May 22 thru Saturday, May 26 from 8:30 am - 4:30 pm (Saturday 8:00 am - 5:00 pm).

To access the landfill site, please pick up a tag (with proof of residency ie. utility bill) at the Public Works Shop, for a fee of \$15 between May 1 - 19. This tag needs to be handed in to the attendant at the Landfill Site upon arrival. Individuals who do not hand in a tag, regular landfill rates will be applied at the site. The tag will only honour 1/2-ton or 3/4-ton trucks.

**Tuesday, May 22 - White Day** The Town will collect appliances from your residence providing it has been placed on the curb. A tag will be issued upon request for a fee of \$15. Only fridges, freezers, stoves, washers, dryers, dishwashers and bathtubs will be picked up.

**Wednesday, May 23 - Curbside Day** Elderly or disabled requiring curbside pickup, please make arrangements at the Public Works Shop when picking up a tag, for a fee of \$10 between May 1 - May 19. Please hand in your tag to the attendant picking up for you.

As per Mountain View Regional Waste Management Commission guidelines: scrap metal, propane tanks, waste oil, and household hazardous waste can be accepted at the site. Be advised that **MATERIALS MUST BE SORTED PRIOR TO ARRIVING AT THE SITE.** This will save your time, the landfill attendant's time and others trying to access the site's time.

For more information, please contact the Public Works Department at 403.335.8343 or online at [www.didsbury.ca](http://www.didsbury.ca).



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If you have not received your Property Taxation Notice within two weeks of the above date, please contact the Tax Department at 403.335.3391 ext. 1107.

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### YOUR RECYCLING DEPOT

The Public Works crew works hard to maintain the recycling depot located at 2602 - 19 Street; however there are some users that take advantage of the recycling center by dumping unacceptable items there. When this happens, the Town must take the items to the landfill resulting in an added cost to you, the taxpayer, in manpower and landfill charges.

For a complete list of acceptable and unacceptable items, please pick up a copy of the Residents Guide to Recycling & Composting available at the Town Office, Public Works office or online at [www.didsbury.ca/town/garbage](http://www.didsbury.ca/town/garbage).

### NEW DEVELOPMENT PERMIT APPLICATIONS

Development Permits have been issued for the following proposed developments:

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DP 12-22	94 Valarosa Drive	Single Family Dwelling - with conditions	R2
DP 12-23	206 Southridge Place	Deck - with conditions	R2
DP 12-24	33 Sandpiper Drive	Single Family Dwelling - with conditions	R2
DP 12-25	50 Bluebird Drive	Single Family Dwelling - with conditions	R2
DP 12-26	1812 - 20 Street	Signage - with conditions	C1
DP 12-27	102 Valarosa Drive	Accessory Building (Detached Garage) with conditions	R2
DP 12-29	2501 - 20 Street	Temporary Freestanding Signage with conditions	C1

Further information may be obtained at the Town Office, 2037 - 19 Avenue or by calling 403.335.3391. Persons wishing to appeal any of these decisions must do so in writing, with the appropriate fees, to the Secretary, Development Appeal Board, prior to 4:30 p.m. Tuesday May 29, 2012.

Dani Woodman - Development Officer



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### UPCOMING PROGRAMS

**Young Chefs:** Friday June 1 from 9:00 am - 1:00 pm. Cost is \$38.00.

**Babysitting Course:** Friday June 1 from 8:00 am - 4:00 pm. Cost is \$55.00.

For more information or to register for any upcoming program, call Didsbury Neighborhood Place at 403.335.8719.



### TREES AND HEDGES

Overgrown trees and hedges can be a significant safety hazard for pedestrians as well as a sight-line hazard for drivers.

Now that spring is here, we would like to remind residents to trim back any overgrown shrubs and low-hanging tree branches to eliminate these hazards.

# SUN HITS THE SPOT AT ANNUAL SHOW 'N' SHINE



BY MADISON SAMUEL-BARCLAY  
*Review Staff*

All 332 vehicles on display at the 20th Annual Didsbury Show 'n' Shine were looking their best on the warm, sunny Saturday of May 12.

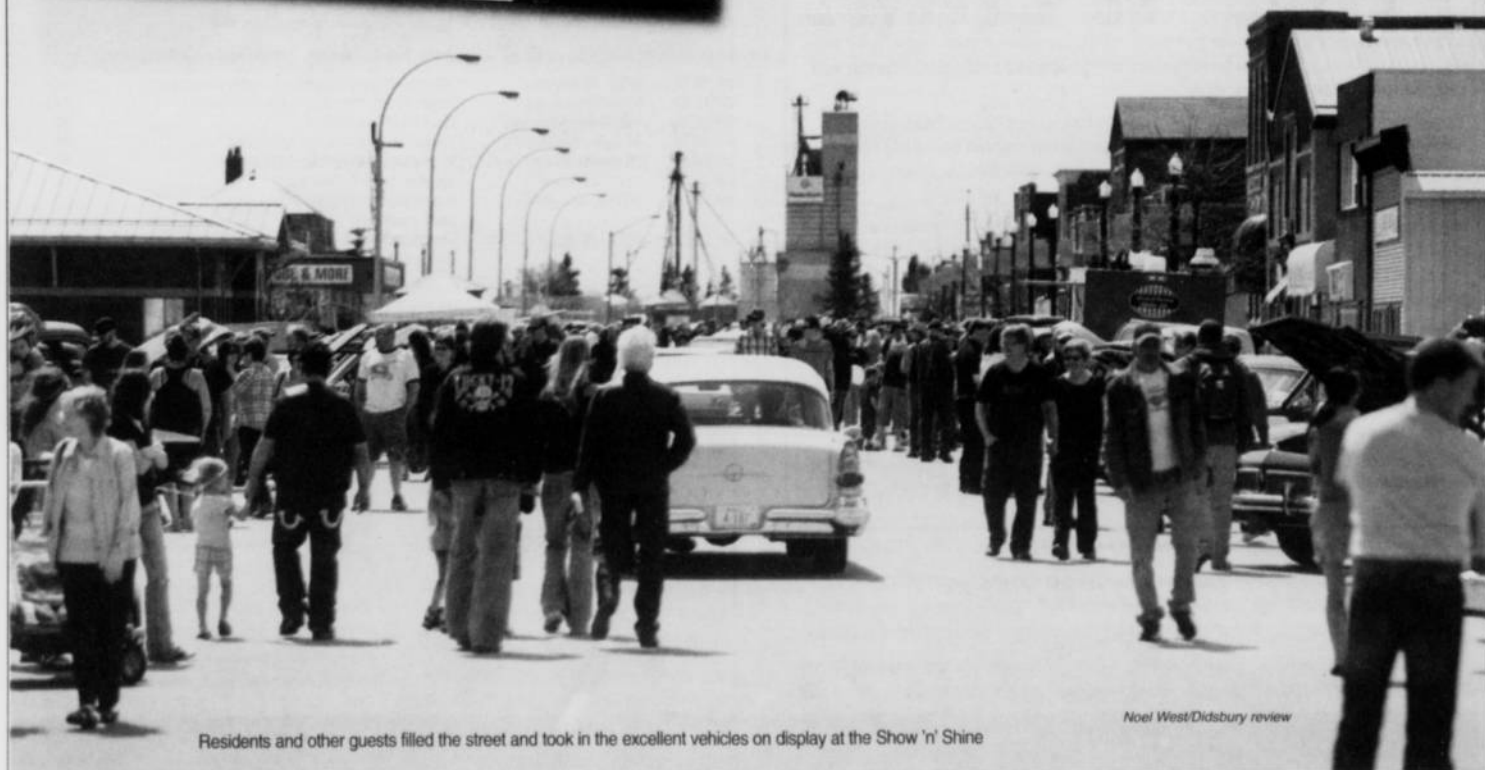
The show, which ran from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the downtown near the train station, topped off the festive day with awards and a large truckload of food, as well as \$2,411, being donated to the Mountain View Food Bank.

The winner of the Fred Hansen Memorial Award was Dave Wasylyshen and his 1958 Chevrolet Impala.

The Mayor's Choice Award winner was Murray Eskrick and his 1934 Chevrolet Street Rod.

The Longest Distance Award winner was Alan Flynn from north Edmonton, and his 1972 Chevelle.

The Ladies Poker Walk winner was Sherryl Johnstone, who donated her winnings to the food bank.



Residents and other guests filled the street and took in the excellent vehicles on display at the Show 'n' Shine

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Vehicles were on display around town, as far back as Gil's Truck &amp; Auto Repair

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The Didsbury Scouts serve hot dogs to an eager line-up.

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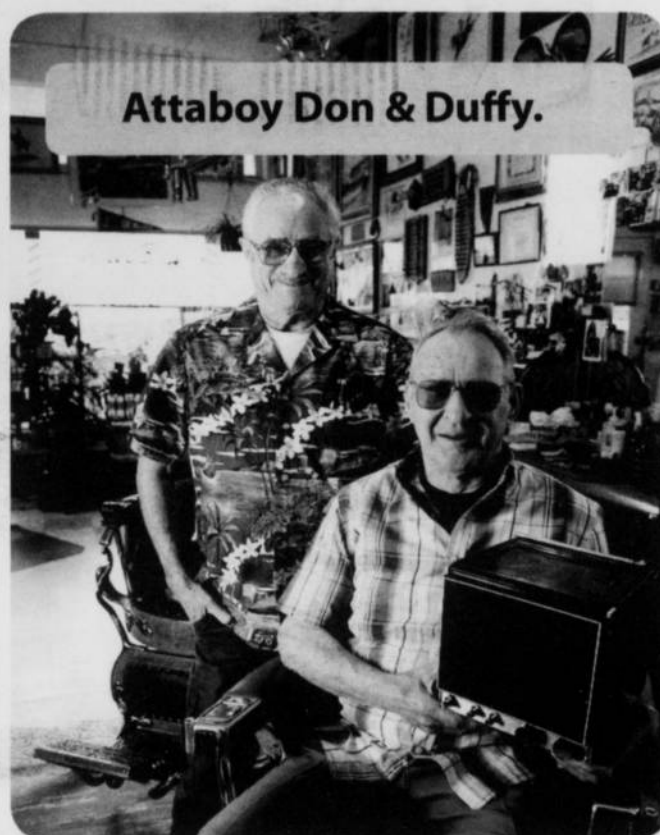
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# Police Week 2012

## RCMP responds to changing times

Providing police services to a country as large and diverse as Canada requires an organization that is both dynamic and well structured.

The RCMP has changed with the times to deliver leading-edge policing to all Canadians.

Created by Parliament in 1919 – by merging the Royal North West Mounted Police and the Dominion Police – the RCMP has a mandate to enforce laws, prevent crime, and maintain peace, order and security. Through agreements between the federal government and other bodies,

the RCMP provides national, provincial/territorial, Aboriginal and municipal police services across Canada.

Since 1996, the RCMP has followed a regional system of management, and is now divided into four regions. Each region is headed by one of the RCMP's Deputy Commissioners.

Additionally, the organization is subdivided into 15 divisions plus its National Headquarters in Ottawa, each of which is under the direction of a Commanding Officer.

At the local level, there

are more than 750 detachments.

For management purposes, the RCMP is structured along five business areas: Federal Services, Criminal Intelligence, Contract Policing, National Police Services and Corporate Infrastructure.

Overarching these business lines are strategic priorities that are reviewed periodically to focus both operational and organizational efforts on the goal of providing safe homes and communities for Canadians. In 2006, these strategic priorities were set as: organized crime, terror-

ism, youth, economic integrity (the newest priority) and serving Aboriginal communities. Additionally, wherever possible, these priorities are supported through partnerships and integrated policing efforts.

The RCMP's scope of operations includes: combating terrorism, organized crime, and specific crimes related to the illicit drug trade; economic crimes such as counterfeiting and credit card fraud; and offences that threaten the integrity of Canada's national borders. The RCMP protects VIPs, including the Prime

Minister and foreign dignitaries and provides the law enforcement community with a full range of computer-based security services.

National Police Services, managed by the RCMP on behalf of all Canadian law enforcement organizations, offers valuable resources to members of Canada's 500-plus law enforcement and criminal justice agencies. These resources include national repositories as well as specialized services such as forensic sciences analyses, criminal intelligence, police learning and depart-

mental security.

The NPS operates national databases including fingerprints, criminal records, Canadian Police Information Centre (CPIC), Canadian Integrated Ballistics Identification Network (CIBIC) and the Automated Criminal Intelligence Information System.

The RCMP's Contract Policing Services gives it jurisdiction over eight provinces, three territories, more than 190 municipalities, 184 Aboriginal communities and three international airports.

- RCMP

### RCMP continuing to work well towards town initiatives

BY MADISON SAMUEL-BARCLAY  
Review Staff

The Town of Didsbury has been pleased with the Didsbury RCMP's continued work to reach goals and initiatives set by the council earlier this year.

"The RCMP have been working very closely on initiatives that council feels are important," said Mayor Brian Wittal. "We get regular updates from them."

Among the initiatives presented to the RCMP were raising youth awareness about drug safety and visibility in the community.

"They've been good with that, and have been working with community peace officers and constables for joint projects," said Wittal. "We really appreciate it."

Wittal is also hoping to see the possible return of bike patrols in the community come summer time if staffing permits.



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# Police Week 2012

## Didsbury RCMP welcomes new officer



BY MADISON SAMUEL-BARCLAY  
Review Staff

The Didsbury RCMP welcomes new officer Const. Terri Carew, who has just started at the Didsbury detachment as of May 1.

Originally a Nova Scotia native, Carew had been working in Vegreville, Alta. before being transferred to Didsbury.

She has been an RCMP officer for five and a half years.

"I've always had an inter-

est in law enforcement," said Carew of her journey towards her RCMP career. "I wanted to help people."

Since starting in Didsbury, Carew has done school tours in Didsbury and Cremona, and has met and introduced herself to several business owners and other residents.

While Carew says that Didsbury is around the same size as Vegreville, the community is very much to her liking.

"People here are very friendly and I like that, I'm

going to try to stay for as long as I can," Carew laughed.

"Everyone says hello, it's just a really friendly community."

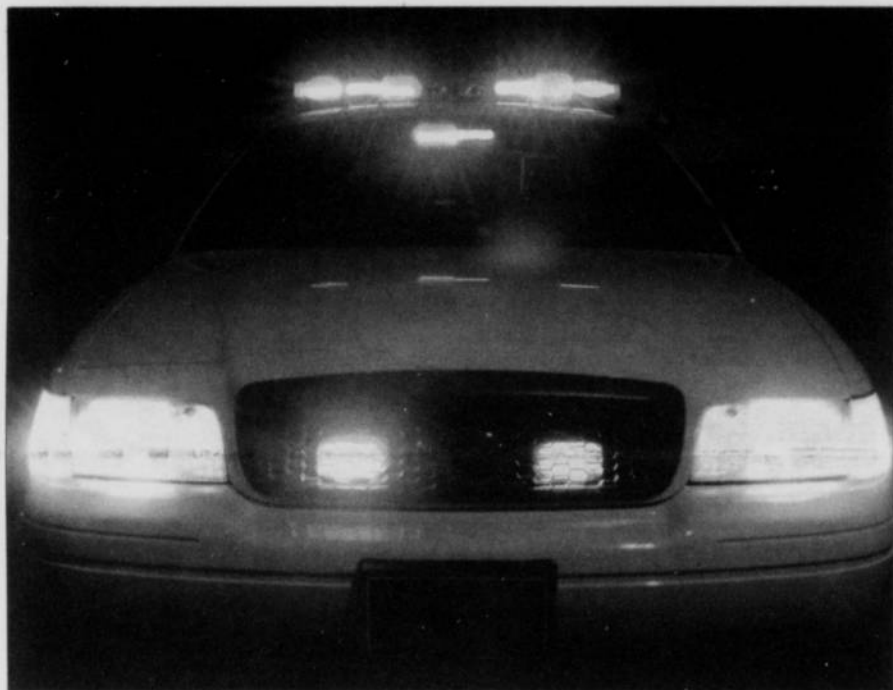
Carew is looking forward to working with the Didsbury detachment and building on what she has already learned from her Vegreville days.

"I really enjoy it here," she said of working with the other officers at the Didsbury detachment.

"There isn't a person here I don't like."

Constable Terri Carew

Madison Samuel-Barclay/Didsbury Review



### Thank an officer this week

May 13 - 19 marks National Police Week which is dedicated to increasing community awareness and recognition of policing services while strengthening police-community ties.

Police Week also encourages community involvement and initiation of activities through media awareness and community-sponsored events.

Police Week is governed by four specific objectives:

- To act as a vehicle in which to reinforce ties with the community
- To honour police officers for the public safety and security they provide to their communities
- To promote the work police do in their communities
- To inform the community about the police role in public safety and security

The Honourable Vic Toews, minister of public safety, offers thanks on behalf of all

Canadians to federal, provincial, municipal and aboriginal law enforcement officers on the occasion.

"Police Week is an important opportunity to honour the men and women who dedicate their lives to the safety of our families and our communities. Canadians can take great comfort in knowing that police officers from across the country bring such a high level of commitment, courage and professionalism to their job to protect our families. On behalf of all Canadians, we thank you. Your important work upholds our government's commitment to tackling crime and to keeping Canadians safe."

During National Police Week, Toews calls on all Canadians to take time this week "to show appreciation for the outstanding officers in their towns and cities who work to keep our streets safe, secure and prosperous."

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## Stolen vehicle caught speeding

BY JENNIFER ISAAC  
For the Review

On May 5, around 3 a.m., police were patrolling the Didsbury area when they observed a 1992 blue Toyota half-

ton pulling out at a high rate of speed.

"The truck then swerved onto 15 Avenue and then turned onto 16 Street toward the Deer Coulee area," said Sgt. Jacobson. "The member

activated the emergency equipment, in an attempt to pull over the vehicle. He thought the truck was coming to a stop at the bus lane at the school, but it kept going on the grass."

The vehicle drove up around 15 Avenue and then pulled into Mary Place.

"The driver then fled on foot," Sgt. Jacobson said. "Later that morning, the vehicle was reported stolen by the owner."

## Drug possession charges pending

BY JENNIFER ISAAC  
For the Review

Charges are pending against an 18-year-old

Didsbury man, after RCMP discovered an illegal substance in his vehicle.

On May 3 at 3 a.m., police stopped a vehicle at 12 Avenue and 21 Street in Didsbury, because of an equipment regulation offence.

"Ultimately, when the driver was spoken with as part of that investigation, the officer observed the driver hiding a baggie containing a green substance," said Sgt. Jeff Jacobson of the Didsbury RCMP. "Police found three grams of marijuana, worth about \$45."

# Placing Old Age Security on a Sustainable Path

Canadians are living longer and costs for the Old Age Security (OAS) are rising. On April 1, 2023 the Government of Canada plans to start raising the age of eligibility for OAS and the Guaranteed Income Supplement (GIS) from 65 to 67.\*

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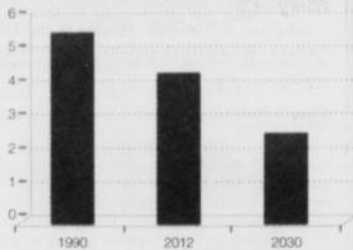
You may still obtain OAS/GIS at age 65

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The age of eligibility for OAS/GIS **will change gradually** between 2023 and 2029

Starting in July 2013, Canadians who are eligible for, but not yet receiving OAS will have the **flexibility to delay** receiving it in exchange for a higher monthly amount at a later date.

The number of working-age Canadians for every senior is decreasing\*\*



\*\*Source: 9th Actuarial Report on the Old Age Security Program

The number of working-age Canadians per senior is decreasing, placing additional pressure on the OAS program.

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# Community Resources

This is a free community event listing service, sponsored by area businesses, provided to non-profit organizations or local community groups. Listing is free to any non-profit organization or community group in the

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**DIDSBURY ELKS HALL RENTALS.** Call Shelley Fakir 403-335-9213.

**ST. CYPRIAN'S ANGLICAN CHURCH HALL RENTALS** contact Myrna Watt 403-335-3745.

**LONE PINE HALL HALL,** which is located east of Didsbury, contact Jo-Anne Hannah at 403-335-4190 for rental information.

**MOUNTAIN VIEW COMMUNITY HALL** For meetings, community events, family or group reunions call Sharon 403-335-4288.

**FALLEN TIMBER COMMUNITY HALL** offers an ideal place for quiet social meetings or fabulous social activities. Please contact Esther McMullen for information at 403-637-2270.

**CITIZENS ON PATROL** - Didsbury/Carstairs. Driving in a neighbourhood near you. To volunteer call 403-335-8755.

**CHAMBER OF COMMERCE** - Membership meetings are the 2nd Wednesday in June, September, November, and January. For more info please call 403-335-3265.

**DIDSBURY TOPS** - Take Off Pounds Sensibly! Come and join us every Wednesday evening. For more info call Judy Coutts at 403-335-2212 or Rosemary 403-335-2835.

**BEAVERS TUES.** - 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. at Eldon Foote Hall. Kids 5 to 7 years old, boys and girls welcome.

**KING HIRAM LODGE #21** - has its regular meetings at 8 p.m. every 2nd Tuesday of the month.

**ST. HILDA CHAPTER #27 O.E.S.** - Has its regular meetings at 7:30 p.m. every 3rd Tuesday of the month. For info. Call Marg Steckler at 403-335-281.

**DIDSBURY SENIOR SUPPORT SERVICES** - Co-ordinates assistance for seniors. Call 403-335-4391.

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**DIDSBURY MENTAL HEALTH CLINIC** - Provides free accessible mental health services. Which incl. assessments, individual family & group counselling & crisis intervention. Mon. - Fri. 8:30-4:00.

**ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS** - Meetings Fridays 8:30 p.m. at the Masonic Hall, Didsbury, 21 Ave. and 21 St. For information call Donna

at 403-335-8733 or Rick at 403-335-9525.

**DIDSBURY LIFELINE EMERGENCY RESPONSE SYSTEM** - Shirley 403-335-3787, Don 403-335-4676.

**DIDSBURY ROYAL PURPLE #317** - Regular meeting at 7:00 p.m., 2nd Wednesday of each month. For info call Irene Collinge 403-335-4589.

**ALANON** - For family and friends of alcoholics. Alice 403-556-5911, Reg 403-337-3762.

**DIDSBURY AND AREA SUPPORT GROUP** - for friends and families of people with Alzheimer's Disease and other forms of dementia. Join us the last Monday of each month, 7-9 p.m. Aspen Ridge Lodge, 1100 - 20 Ave., Didsbury. 403-335-9848. Dolina Watson, 403-335-7285.

**DIDSBURY & DISTRICT HEALTH SERVICES AUXILIARY** - monthly meeting on the first Tuesday of each month at 2:00 p.m. in Unit 4 at the hospital.

**OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS** - 12-Step group for Compulsive Overeaters meets on Thursdays at 7 pm at St. Francis of Assisi Anglican Church, 130 Albert St., Airdrie. For more information call Deb at 403-948-0563 or Frankie at 403-335-3633.

**3025 RCACC DIDSBURY ARMY CADETS** - Youth 12-18 Monday 6:30 - 9:30. Downstairs Victoria Square Mall 403-559-8801.

**ADULT HALL WALKING** - at Westline School from 6:30pm to 7:30pm from Monday to Friday. Please wear clean dry shoes. For more information call Cindy at 403-335-9437.

**DIDSBURY MUSEUM** - Open 10 a.m. - 12 noon and 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. Tues and Wed.; Sat. 1 p.m. - 4 p.m. By appointment: Jim 403-335-0003 or Shirley 403-335-3277.

**DIDSBURY & DISTRICT COMMUNITY BUS.** - Call Jan to book your trip. 403-335-3052. Competent drivers.

**DIDSBURY YOUTH JUSTICE COMMITTEE'S** - meetings are held the first Monday of each month. All persons interested in volunteering and helping to work with the youth in our community are encouraged to come. For location and time please call 403-335-1975.

**MIDWAY COMMUNITY WALKERS** - Midway School will be open to anyone that would like to walk inside for exercise without the winter elements. Open every school day 7:30-8:30am. For more info call 403-337-2888.

**PARENT LINK CENTER** - Drop in play. FREE Playtime for Parents and Preschoolers (newborn to 6 yrs). Morning, afternoon and evening playtimes available at Didsbury Neighbourhood Place, Bay 2, 2030 17 Ave. Contact Linda 403-586-5466.

**DIDSBURY ELKS LODGE** - supper meetings every 2nd and 4th Thursdays. Supper at 7:00 p.m. meeting at 8:00 p.m. Call 403-335-4655.

**SUPPER INVITATION** - The Didsbury Lions Club welcomes men & lady visitors at their supper meetings on the first and third Thursdays of each month, 6:45 p.m. at the 5-0 Club. For information and to RSVP call 403-335-9173 or 403-335-4796.

**DIDSBURY NEIGHBOURHOOD PLACE** - is a resource centre for the down, we provide information and referral services, community programming, FCSS, resource lending library and meeting space available for rent. Please call 403-335-8719.

**GIRL GUIDES OF CANADA** - For fun, friendship and adventure for girls and women of all ages! Join anytime. Leaders are needed for all units, no experience necessary. Ages: Sparks 5/6; Brownies 7/8; Guides 9 - 11; Pathfinders 12 - 14; rangers 15 & up. Call Karen 403-556-6881 for more information.

**FRIDAYS - CRIBBAGE STARTS** - at the Elks Hall - 7:00 p.m.

**HUNTINGTONS** - Are you or someone you love affected by HD? I am looking to start up a support group in the Didsbury area. If you are interested contact Kim Rauhaala 403-335-9520.

**BRING OUT THE BEST IN KIDS!** Mountain View Optimists meets Tuesdays 7:30 pm at Sandy's in Olds. mountainviewoptimists@gmail.com

**DIDSBURY ALANON FAMILY GROUP** - Fridays at 8:30 at the Know United Church. 1406-19 Ave. Suzanne 403-337-3033 or Jennifer 403-335-8388.

**OUTLAWS 4-H HORSE CLUB** is collecting used batteries. For info contact: 403-507-9242

**MOUNTAIN VIEW CHORALERS** are back for another season. If you like to sing, join us Monday evening at 7 p.m. at the 5/0 Club.

**ROSS FORD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL** presents Cow A Bunga Family Dance. Thursday May 31. 6:00 to 8:30. Silent Auction, Raffles, BBQ. 18-22

**TEDDY FOR A TOONIE- 2ND ANNUAL CHARITY SILENT AUCTION** May 7 to May 25th. Didsbury ATB Financial, 1820-20th St. All items donated from local businesses. Proceeds: ALBERTA CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL. 20-21

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## Around Town

with the Didsbury Library

### May 7-25

**TEDDY FOR A TOONIE 2nd annual Charity Silent Auction** at the Didsbury ATB Financial. All items have been donated from local businesses. All proceeds will be donated to the Alberta Children's Hospital.

### May 16

7 p.m. Friends of the Library meet in the Library Conference Room. Everyone welcome.

### May 17

Didsbury Seniors Support is hosting an Arts, Culture, Heritage, Pioneer Festival at 1:30 p.m. in the Eldon Foote Hall. We celebrate our seniors, the contribution each one has made to the foundation and building of our province, district and community.

### May 19

Saturday at 2:00 p.m. Movies @ the Library. *Hachi: A Dog's Tale* starring Richard Gere and rated G - bring the whole family for this heart-warming tale. Admission is by donation. Bring your own snacks!

### May 23

Wednesday from 1-3:30 p.m. The museum will be having "Coffee & Conversation." This will be a "sneak-a-peek" of our vintage wedding display over the past century. Come enjoy a cup of coffee, chat with friends and explore the museum. Everyone is welcome. This will be our last Coffee & Conversation until September 26, 2012.

### May 26

Saturday. Volunteer Computer Tutor will be available in the library on Saturday, May 26 from 9 a.m. to noon. Sign up today for basic computer help!

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# Church Directory

The REVIEW is pleased to provide this Church Directory as a community service

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Catholic Women's League:  
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Holy Communion 1 & 3 Sunday 10:30 a.m.  
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## Mountain View Evangelical Missionary Church

14 km East of Didsbury Pastor Art Numan  
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For information concerning the weekly activities  
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## Anglican Church of Canada

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## Former Didsbury resident to represent Canada at Olympic Games

BY DONNA TYLER  
For the Review

Jillian Tyler, a former resident of Didsbury, will represent Canada at the 2012 London Olympic Games in the sport of swimming.

She qualified for the Olympics at the Swim Canada Trials Meet in Montreal last month. She out-swam a pod of Vancouver Dolphin competitors en route to punching her ticket to London.

At the 50-metre turn she was behind by almost a second, but true to her grit, she turned on the jets and out-touched the Dolphin swimmers.

Tyler placed sixth in the 200-metre breaststroke, which is still a race she is piecing together. The 100 m breaststroke event was one of the most hyped, deepest and most contested events at the trials. The top five swimmers in the final all met the Olympic standard time. It came down to the final touch to see who registered the win.

Tyler, who was born in Didsbury, attended Ross Ford Elementary School and some of her middle school years at Westglen School. She moved to Calgary to continue her education and to swim with the Cascade Swim

Club.

Tyler started competitive swimming with the Didsbury Aqua Jets Swim Club. Lynne Driessen, the Aqua Jets' coach at the time, coached Tyler to numerous Summer Swim Provincial records. It was Driessen who quickly identified Tyler's talent in the water and labelled her a "diamond in the rough."

While living in Didsbury, Tyler juggled a full-time student schedule with morning training at the Didsbury pool. At the end of the school day, she motored off to Calgary to train with the Cascade Swim Club. This hectic

schedule had her family eventually move to Calgary, but truth be told, Jillian's heart is in Didsbury.

Tyler's GPA and hard work in the pool and classroom were rewarded with a full scholarship to the University of Minnesota where she graduated this year with a degree in journalism. She credits the high calibre of coaching and the support staff at the University of Minnesota for her international successes. In 2011, Tyler was crowned the top NCAA 100-yard breast-stroker in the U.S.

Tyler also qualified for the Beijing Olympics in

2008. She said recently, "There is no prouder moment than when one represents their country at an event like this and wears the Maple Leaf".

Tyler's mother went to the Trials meet in April carrying along correspondence that was prepared by Ms. Turner's Grade 1 class at Ross Ford School.

The students sent Tyler words of encouragement and advice. Her mom said, "I gave Jillian the envelope of goodies to read over lunch and it provided many laughs for her...it was certainly a special moment for Jillian. People were looking at us wondering what we were

all laughing about."

Some of the letters advised Tyler to "Remember to turn when you come to the wall", "Remember to take breaths of air and don't drink the water" and "Remember to go to the bathroom before you swim your race."

On being a two-time Olympian, Tyler says, "A lot of dedication and hard work goes into achieving this goal...to represent my country at the highest level of competition there is. There are no free rides. This is truly one of those 'lifetime' experiences I 'dreamed big' about."

Go Canada!

## New face at town officer for Municipal Internship Program

BY JENNA DUTTON  
For the Review

My name is Jenna Dutton and while in my third week at the town office as a municipal project specialist and as a new resident of Didsbury, I would like to introduce myself and explain a bit more about Alberta Municipal Affairs Internship Program which I have the privilege of participating in for the coming year.

The Municipal Internship Program itself was introduced in 2002 as there was a need identified for

municipalities to recruit and train administrators in order to meet the needs of present and future demand. This was identified in a 2010 Chief Administrative Officer Survey, which was commissioned by Municipal Affairs, that showed of 262 respondents, 55 per cent indicated they would most likely leave the municipal administration field by 2020. Starting off as a pilot with five municipalities, the program has since grown to include 12 municipalities participating in 2012-2013, and has expand-

ed to include second-year internships wherein the intern takes on a larger role in the organization and still receives partial funding from Municipal Affairs.

The second-year intern Lesley Bannister and I have the opportunity to work for the Town of Didsbury in a large part with funding from the Alberta Government. This funding also allows us to attend some conferences throughout the year and positively represent Didsbury to let others know about the town and

draw visitors from across the province. This is the fourth year the town has participated in the program, and each previous intern has become a valuable contribution to the Town of Didsbury administrative team. I feel very privileged to have the opportunity to work for your town and to hopefully achieve the high professional standards that the previous three interns have set by becoming contributing members of our vibrant community.

Though I was born in Ontario, I moved to


Calgary from England at the age of 12 and fell in love with the beautiful province of Alberta. In June of 2010 I completed a bachelor's degree with a major in anthropology and specialization in urban planning at Concordia University in Montreal. After working in Quebec for a year the municipal intern opportunity came up and I couldn't pass up the chance to move back to be closer to my family and the Rockies. I have a passion for community planning and sustainable development and greatly

look forward to learning as much as possible, while gaining valuable experience both working and living within Didsbury.

I encourage any of you soon-to-be grads, thinking of going off to university and wondering what to do after finishing, to come into the town office and we can discuss the opportunities available to young people in municipal government. I am very excited to begin this rewarding career and I would be happy to chat about this further with anyone interested!

  
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## 100. Obituaries 100. Obituaries

### Rita Margaret Trenholm July 9, 1932 - May 6, 2012



Rita Margaret Trenholm, (nee Barker) was born on July 9, 1932 in Stonham Parva, Suffolk, England. Rita arrived in Canada via New York, New York on the Queen Elizabeth in 1957. Her first nursing station as a registered nurse was in Hamilton, Ontario. Upon receiving news of a shortage of nurses, Rita travelled by train to the tiny prairie town of Didsbury to work at the local General Hospital. At a country dance held out in Melvin Hall, Rita met and fell in love with a local farm boy, Claude Trenholm. They were married at Olds, in November 1958. Rita quickly settled into her new prairie life as a young farm wife and together, they created a new life farming for 43 years and raising three children. Rita is survived by her loving husband of 52 years, Claude Charles Trenholm, eldest son, John (Mary), daughters Anne and Kathryn (Allen), 8 grandchildren and 7 great grandchildren with number eight arriving soon. Rita is predeceased by her parents Reginald and Annie Barker, brothers Maurice (Mary) Barker, George (Peggy) Barker, all of England. "One of the most influential women of our lives passed away. What life has taken, it gives back and paves the way for more love, more light and more peace. We love you. The love, compassion, knowledge, children, grandchildren and great grandchildren you leave behind is a continuous legacy and the footprint you've left on this world is for all of us to enjoy." Your loving family, Amen.

Claude and family would like to thank the Didsbury RCMP, Didsbury Fire Department, and the Mountain View Ambulance for their prompt and professional response. Thank you to the Doctors and nursing staff of the emergency ward at the Didsbury General Hospital. A private Graveside Service was held on Friday May 11, 2012 at the Olds Cemetery followed by a Come & Go Tea at St. John's Anglican Church, Olds. Memorial tributes, at Rita's request, may be made directly to the Mountain View Food Bank Society, Olds. Heartland Funeral Services Ltd. Olds entrusted with arrangements. 403-507-8610 www.heartlandfuneralservices.com



### Berscht

It is with sadness that we announce the passing of Howard E. Berscht of Calgary, Alberta on May 4, 2012 at the age of 83 years. Howard was born on April 17, 1929 and was raised on the family farm in the Elkton district. Howard was predeceased by his beloved wife, Gloria in 1996 and his dear friend Vivian Penner in 2010. Howard was also predeceased by his parents Martha and Edward Berscht, his sister Florence, and his brothers Wilbert and Arthur.

He will be greatly missed by his loving children Deb (Gerard) deBruijn of Ottawa, Ontario, Sharon (Gord) Liddle of Ponoka, Alberta, and Gary (Kathi) Berscht of Calgary, Alberta, along with his grandchildren, of whom he was so proud: Andrea deBruijn, Vanessa deBruijn, Tasha (Chris) Stanton, Jennifer Liddle, Jessica Liddle, Samantha Berscht, Cameron Berscht, and honorary grandson Dustin Dewan. He also leaves to mourn his passing his sister Mildred (Riley) Moon of Vulcan, Alberta and his brother Clifford (Dianne) of Myrnam, Alberta, along with cousins, nieces and nephews.

A service to celebrate Howard's life was held Monday, May 14, 2012 at Northmount Baptist Church, Calgary, Alberta. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Northmount Baptist Church Building Fund, the Zion Church Building Fund (Ponoka) or the Heart and Stroke Foundation.

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Large well maintained bungalow in prime location, 3 + 1 bdrms, 3 baths, jetted tub, fireplace, dble "stacked" garage, beautiful yard

**\$279,900**

2202 - 20 Street



Terrific commercial land in down town Didsbury, 336 feet of frontage, fully serviced in 2 places, great location

**\$199,900**

301 Westview Greens



top floor corner unit with beautiful view of golf course and open country, 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, gas fireplace, single garage

**\$179,000**